#### A TALE OF HORROR.

An Old Miser Cuts a Child's Tongue Out and His Fingers Off-The Honster Shot Dend in His Trucks.

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It has been known for some time that a dirty, wretched old man lived outside the city, about a mile or so, in a filthy little cabin, entirely alone, and that he was a hermit. No one ever went near him, for it was said be was a magician. His only companion was a skeleton-looking dog. He came into the city sometimes to beg, and would piteously implore for money, stating that he was starving. Sometimes he would gather rags or scraps of paper and sell them. Every one supposed him to be wretchedly poor. He had an evil look, and mothers would remove their children when they saw him coming. One day last week, however, a child, the son of Mr. Abraham Skinner, went out alone to fish in the stream, and happened to wander on until before he knew it, he came to the hovel of the old man. At first he was frightened, but seeing no one around he plucked up courage and went nearer. he knew it, he came to the hovel of the old man. At first he was frightened, but seeing no one around he plucked up courage and went nearer. Everything was silent. He weat and peeped through a crack in the side of the hut. He almost screamed at what he saw, for he beheld the old man bending over a bag of money that he was counting. There were other bags beside him containing large quantities of money. Mr. Skinner's son was so terrified that, when he attempted to move he stumbled. Like lightning the old man rushed out and seized him. "Ha," he screamed, "I've caught you, have 1? You saw me, did you? Well, now, you'll pay forit." And before Mr. Skinner's son could say a word, the old monster, with an awful hugh, drew out a knife, and (oh horror!) out the child's tongue out. Then he chopped off his fingers. "Now." he said, "now you can go for you can't tell." The poor boy ran off overcome with agony, and ran to his father's house only to fill them with consternation. What was the matter with their child? He could not speake to tell them! He could not write for his fingers were cut. Still the poor boy, after efforts of the most horrible pain, managed to fix a pencil between his bloody stumps of fingers and wrote the awful tale! A party was immediately organized and hastened to the miser's den. He was at the door as they approached, and fired a revolver six times at them, wounding two of the party seriously. Mr. Skinner returned the fire, and the aged villain fell, with a piercing yell, mortally wounded. "My money—my money!" he moaned, "my beautiful meney," and he crawled to his bags of geld and sank upon them—a corpect Over \$10.000 was discovered, which was presented to the gold and sank upon them—a corpse! Over \$10,
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over structure of the poor house and other charitable institutions.

The event will never be forgotten by our citizens. The child is slowly recovering. The miser was buried the day after and the but was torn down.

#### State Sunday-School Convention,

The State Sunday-school convention will be held in the city of Nashville commencing on the 2d of November next, at 10 o clock A. M. Delegates are invited and expected from all the Sunday-schools of all denominations in the

Sate.
Such an assembly of the Sunday-school workers of the State will be an enteresting occasion, and must and will result in great good.

Men of eloquence and distinction are also expected from abroad, whose presence will add to the interest of the convention.

The Executive Committeee are making arrangements to make the occasion pleasant, profitable and instructive to all who may attend, and extend a cordial invitation to all Sunday-schools to send delegates.

Arrangements have been made by the Re-ception Committee for the entertainment of all delegates during the sitting of the convention, and each delegate will be passed over the differand each delegate will be passed over the different railroads for one fare, upon presenting his credentials at the railroad ticket office at home. Delegates, upon their arrival, will please report to the Reception Committee, at the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church, corner Summer and Church Streets.

All newspapers friendly to the cause are requested to give this an insertion.

By order of the Executive Committee.

W. H. PORLMAN, Chim'n.

#### THE RESIGNATION OF SECRETARY COX.

We believe the country will receive with regret the announcement of the resigna-tion of the Hon. J. D. Cox. Secretary of the Interior. It is said by the Washing-ton correspondent of the New York *Times* that "the reasons for the withdrawal are understood to be entirely personal, and the relations of the President and Secretary have been and still are of the most agreen-

Gov, Cox accepted the position at the Preside urgent request of the a great personal sacrifice. In discharging the duties of the position, he has ever been governed by principle, and in all cases has acted solely to further the important trusts confidence of the President, and beed such news, for the sample reason in itersally recognized as one of the safele never before heard of it, and dwisest of his advisers. The Interi

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Mr. Carlyle?"

The sturdy philosopher, thus appealed to, said, in his broad Scotch, "No, madam, I don't. I think that, had He come very fashionably dressed, with pienty of money, and preaching doctrines palatable to the higher orders, I might have had the honor of receiving from you a card of invitation, on the back of which would be written, "To meet our Savior;" but if He had come uttering His sublime precepts, and denouncing the Pharisees, and associating with the Publicans and lower orders, as He did, you would have treated Him much as did, you would have treated Him much as the Jews did, and have cried out, 'Take Him, to Newgate and hang Him!-Har per's Magazine for November.

An urchin being sent for five cents' worth of maccaboy snufi, forgot the name of the article, and asked for five cents' worth of make-a-boy

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